SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 327

By Green

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Taylor Nicole Hargis, 2013 Valedictorian of Rossview High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Taylor Nicole Hargis is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2013 graduating class at Rossview High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Taylor has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Hargis has earned an exemplary grade point average of 4.0 while graciously dedicating her time and energies to numerous scholastic and extracurricular efforts, including serving as a member of the National Honor Society, Excalibur National Honor Society, Key Club, Future Teachers of America, and the Academic Team; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards and accolades, Taylor Hargis is a recipient of the National Mathematics Award, All-American Scholar Award, CMCSS Education Foundation Academic Award, and a Murray State University Regent's Scholarship worth \$24,000; she attended Tennessee's Volunteer Girls' State and the National Youth Leadership Forum on National Security; she is a member of the National Society of High School Scholars; and she was named an AP Scholar with Honor; and

WHEREAS, Taylor's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at Murray State University, which she plans to attend to pursue a degree in second education and psychology with a minor in English; and WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Herman Hargis and Donna Hargis, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Taylor Hargis's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2013 Rossview High School
Valedictorian, Taylor Nicole Hargis, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.